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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: **Thomas E. WAGNER, et al.**

Title: **Hybrid Cells**

Appl. No.: **09/756,293**

Appl. Filing Date: **January 9, 2001**

Examiner: **Q. Li**

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Commissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:** (check items that apply)

a. Enclosed is:

Amendment/Reply.

Other .

The filing fee is calculated below:

Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Fee Totals
RCE Fee 1.17(e)			\$750.00	\$750.00
Total Claims: 23	<input type="checkbox"/> 30	= 0	x \$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independents: 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 10	= 0	x \$84.00 =	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:		+ \$280.00	=	\$280.00
		CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:	=	\$1030.00

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[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[X]	Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$110.00	\$110.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$410.00	\$0.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$930.00	\$0.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,450.00	\$0.00
[]	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$1,970.00	\$0.00
	EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:		\$110.00
	CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:		\$1140.00
[]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		\$0.00
[]	Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)		\$0.00
	TOTAL FEE:		\$1140.00

[X] A check in the amount of \$1140.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date 18 April 2003

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